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[1-28 Feb 1966]

COMMANDERS DIARY

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Date...26/7/93.....

HQ AAF FARELF

1 FEB - 28 FEB 66

11/11 Feb 66

COVERING LETTER

Reference No. 117-3-1

To: OIC, Military History Section, AHQ.

1. I enclose Commanders Diary (AF C 2118) (Adapted) as indicated at Part 2.

2. Please return receipt below.

(Signature)

Brig

Appointment

Commander
(OC Unit or senior staff officer)

SECRET

ORIGINAL
~~DUPLICATE~~

Strike out where
not applicable

COMMANDERS DIARY

OF

Unit or Formation HQ AAF FARELF

From 1 Feb 66

To 28 Feb 66

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Narrative (AF C 2118)

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* Only to be included during operations.
† Cross out whichever is not applicable.

PART 3

COMMANDERS DIARIES INSTRUCTIONS

AIM

1. The aim of a Commanders Diary is to provide data on which to base future improvements in Army training, equipment, organization and administration, and to furnish historians with a record of the activities of units and formations in operational and non-operational periods in peace and in war.

GENERAL

2. Entries are to be made daily on AF C 2118 (Adapted) each entry being initialled by the officer detailed to keep it.
3. Commanders Diaries will conform with the rules for drafting orders given in "Staff Duties (Australia)", Chapter 2, Section 12.

RESPONSIBILITY

During Non-operational Periods

4. A Commanders Diary is to be compiled by commanders of all formations.

During Operational Periods (1)

5. A Commanders Diary is to be compiled in duplicate by:
 - a. Commanders of all formations.
 - b. Each branch of the staff at formation headquarters commanded by a brigadier or above.
 - c. Heads of services not below the rank of lieutenant colonel.
 - d. Personal staffs and officers holding special appointments.
 - e. Unit commanders.
 - f. Commanders of a detachment of a unit when so ordered.

COMPILATION

6. Both original and duplicate copies are to consist of:
 - a. Cover (AF C 2119) (Adapted).
 - b. Index as printed on cover.
 - c. Narrative (AF C 2118) (Adapted).
 - d. Annexes as shown in the Index.
7. All details of the unit or formation (if a detachment is concerned, the name of the parent unit), period covered and enclosure numbers of the annexes are to be shown on the cover. If there has been a change of command since the last report, the date of assumption by the new commanding officer is to be included.
8. The annexes are to be assembled in the groups shown on the cover. If there are no enclosures for an annex NIL will be entered on the cover. If additional annexes are convenient for a particular headquarters, starting at B.

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DISPOSAL

13. **Original Commander's Diary.** This is to be forwarded monthly, unless otherwise ordered, by the seventh day of the succeeding month direct to AHQ.

14. **Duplicate Commander's Diary.** This must be clearly marked as a duplicate. It is to be sent separately from the original to AHQ one month after the original has been despatched but not before the former has been acknowledged.

15. When overseas, both copies of diaries are to be sent through the Army Records organization in the overseas theatre but at different times.

16. **TOP SECRET Supplementary Diaries.**

a. The documents referred to in Paragraph 9 together with a list of them made out on AF C 2118 (Adapted) must be placed in separate cover (AF C 2119) (Adapted). All details must be filled in and the cover clearly marked in red: "ANNEX Z — OFFICER ONLY". It may be convenient to group the papers by appendices.

b. Supplementary diaries must be forwarded under the normal rules for TOP SECRET correspondence, to AHQ. The inner envelope must be plainly marked:

TOP SECRET

ANNEX Z to

Commanders Diary of.....(Formation or Unit)

From.....to.....(Dates)

c. The duplicate supplementary diaries must be despatched as shown in Paragraph 14 as soon as receipt of the original has been acknowledged.

COMPILATION

6. Each original and duplicate copies are to consist of:

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COMMANDERS DIARY NARRATIVE

Army Form C 2118

MONTH AND YEAR February 1966

UNIT/FORMATION HQ AAF FARELF

COMMANDING OFFICER Brig F.R. EVANS

Place and grid reference	Day of Month	Hour	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
SINGAPORE	01		Issued Movement Summary for period 1 - 2 Feb	H1
	01	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 24 vide our Ops 472	E1
	02		Issued Movement Summary for period 2 - 3 Feb	H2
	02	0400Z	Issued Sitrep 25 vide our Ops 479	E2
	03	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 26 vide our Ops 501	E3
	03		Forwarded to CARO under cover of our 234/7/3 Register of Linguists.	
	04		Issued Movement Summary for period 3 - 4 Feb	H3
	04	0400Z	Issued Sitrep 27 vide our Ops 519	E4
	05		Issued PR Report for the month of Jan vide our PR 524	H4
	05		Issued Weekly Report week ending 5 Feb	E5
	05	0400Z	Issued Sitrep 28 vide our Ops 529	E6
	07		Forwarded to AHQ under cover of our 36/8/7 copy of Report of Australian Liaison Officer HQ SAS Far East	
	07	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 29 vide our Ops 562	E7
	08	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 30 vide our Ops 580	E8
	08		Issued Movement Summary for period 8 - 9 Feb	H5
	09	0400Z	Issued Sitrep 31 vide our Ops 603	E9
	10	0800Z	Issued Sitrep 32 vide our Ops 629	E10

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COMMANDERS DIARY NARRATIVE

Army Form C 2118

MONTH AND YEAR.....

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UNIT/FORMATION.....

COMMANDING OFFICER.....

Place and grid reference	Day of Month	Hour	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
SINGAPORE	11	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 33 vide our Ops 656	E11
	11		Forwarded to AHQ under cover of our 132/2/13 an application for amendment to existing establishment Indep Fd Sqn Wksp	
	12		Issued Weekly Report week ending 12 Feb vide our Ops 670	E12
SINGAPORE	12	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 34 vide our Ops 671	E13
	14	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 35 vide our Ops 697	E14
	15		Issued Movement Summary for period 15 - 16 Feb	H6
	15	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 36 vide our Ops 725	E15
	16		Issued Movement Summary for period 16 - 17 Feb	H7
	16	0400Z	Issued Sitrep 37 vide our Ops 739	E16
	16		Issued Force R0 Serial 3	H8
	17	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 38 vide our Ops 791	E17
	18		Issued Movement Summary for period 18 - 19 Feb	H9
	18	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 39 vide our Ops 819	E18
	19		Issued Movement Summary for period 19 - 20 - 21 Feb	H10
	19	0330Z	Issued Sitrep 40 vide our Ops 837	E19
	19		Issued Weekly Report week ending 19 Feb vide our Ops 832	E20

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MONTH AND YEAR.....

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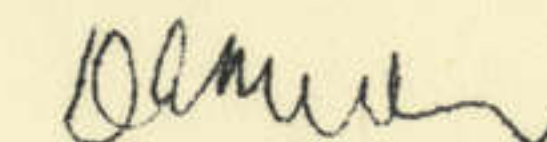
COMMANDING OFFICER.....

Place and grid reference	Day of Month	Hour	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
SINGAPORE	21	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 41 vide our Ops 862	E21
	21		Forwarded to AHQ under cover of our 234/4/1 copy of FARELF Forecast of Major Events SINGAPORE and MALAYA March 66	
	22	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 42 vide our Ops 883	E22
	23		Issued Movement Summary for period 23 - 24 Feb	H11
	23	0400Z	Issued Sitrep 43 vide our Ops 901	E23
	24	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 44 vide our Ops 928	E24
	24		Issued Movement Summary for period 24 - 25 Feb	H12
	25		Issued Movement Summary for period 25 - 26 Feb	H13
	25	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 45 vide our Ops 956	E25
	26		Issued Weekly Report week ending 26 Feb vide our Ops 969	E26
	26	0330Z	Issued Sitrep 46 vide our Ops 970	E27
	28		Issued Movement Summary for period 28 Feb - 1 Mar	H14
	28	0900Z	Issued Sitrep 47 vide our Ops 1006	E28

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MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 1/2 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 1 FEB 66

Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 1 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Lt	CONNOLLY	QF 729	1555	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	Posting	AIRLINES	
Lt	TOLL	QF 729	1555	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	Posting	COCKPIT	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 1 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Capt	GILROY	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	WO COUCHMAN	Observer Visit SAIGON	COCKPIT	
Maj	SULLIVAN	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	WO COUCHMAN	Observer Visit SAIGON	COCKPIT	
Lt	MUELLER	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	WO COUCHMAN	Observer Visit SAIGON	COCKPIT	
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 2 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Cpl	BEAN AND WIFE	ML 015	1700	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Lt	McLAUGHLAN AND FAMILY	ML 015	1700	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Pte	SMITH	AI107A	1855	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	Posting	AIRLINES	
Spr	FITZGERALD	ML 453	1530	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 2 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Master	GIBSON	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	Cpl EALES	Ex School Holiday Visit	PRIVATE	
Cpl	BEAN AND WIFE	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Lt	McLAUGHLAN AND FAMILY	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Pte	BOTTOMLEY	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Maj	CONDER	ML 452	0740	KUCHING	Cpl EALES	Visit	RESIDENCE	
Lt	CONNELLY	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	Cpl EALES	Posting	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								



(D.A. Miller)
Maj
for AA&QMG

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MESSAGE FORM

PRECEDENCE-ACTION
ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE-INFO
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DATE
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GROUP
Z

FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

TO : ARMY CANBERRA

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER

INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

OPS 472

SITREP 24 AS AT 010900 Z .

ALL AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME
WARLAND

OFFICE
GS

TEL NO
21609

RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
[Signature] Capt
01 Feb 66

SECRET

COND DIARY

H.2.

MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 2/3 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 2 FEB 66

Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Mvts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 2 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Cpl	BEAN AND WIFE	ML 015	1700	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Lt	McLAUGHLAN AND FAM	ML 015	1700	SINEAPORE	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Pte	SMITH	A1107A	1855	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	Posting	AIRLINES	
Spr	FITZGERALD	ML 453	1530	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 2 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Master	GIBSON	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	Cpl EALES	Ex School Holiday Visit	PRIVATE	
Cpl	BEAN AND WIFE	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Lt	McLAUGHLAN AND FAM	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Pte	BOTTOMLEY	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	Cpl EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Maj	CONDER	ML 452	0740	KUCHING	Cpl EALES	Visit	RESIDENCE	
Lt	CONNELLY	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	Cpl EALES	Posting	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 3 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Sgt	FITZPATRICK AND FAM	QF 737	1725	SINGAPORE	Sgt MITCHELL	Posting	ORCHARD	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 3 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Pte	SMITH	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	Sgt MITCHELL	Posting	AIRLINES	
Lt	TOLL	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	Sgt MITCHELL	Posting	COCKPIT	
Spr	FITZGERALD	BA 716	2005	SYDNEY	Sgt MITCHELL	RTA	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								

D.A. Miller
 (D.A. Miller)
 Maj
 AA&QMG

SECRET

MESSAGE FORM

E2

PRECEDENCE--ACTION
ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE--INFO
DEFERRED

DATE
02

TIME

GROUP
Z

FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

TO : ARMY CANBERRA

INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS

479

SITREP 25 AS AT 020400 Z .

ALL AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME
WARLAND

OFFICE
GS

TEL NO
21609

RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
Capt
02 Feb 66

SECRET

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MESSAGE FORM

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PRECEDENCE-ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE-INFO DEFERRED	DATE 03	TIME	GROUP Z
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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 501

SITREP 26 AS AT 030900 Z .

ALL AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME WARLAND	OFFICE GS	TEL NO 21609	RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i> Capt 3 Feb 66
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MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 3/4 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 4 FEB 66

Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 3 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Sgt	FITZPATRICK AND FAM	QF 737	1725	SINGAPORE	Sgt MITCHELL	Posting	ORCHARD	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 3 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Pte	SMITH	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	Sgt MITCHELL	Posting	AIRLINES	
Lt	TOLL	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	Sgt MITCHELL	Posting	COCKPIT	
Spr	FITZGERALD	BA 716	2005	SYDNEY	Sgt MITCHELL	RTA	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 4 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Maj	GREY	RAF		CHANGI	Cpl WILCOMES	Ex HONG KONG	PRINCESS MARY	
Mrs	MARSHALL CORMACK & FAM	QF 739	2000	SINGAPORE	Cpl WILCOMES	Join Husband	AIRLINES	
2. DEPARTURES 4 FEB 66								
a. Air - NIL								
b. Sea - NIL								

(D.A.MILLER)
Maj
for AA&QMG

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MESSAGE FORM

FEB 66

PRECEDENCE - ROUTINE	ACTION	PRECEDENCE - DEFERRED	INFO	DATE - 04	TIME - 04	GROUP Z
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FROM AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO ARMY CANBERRA

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

INFO AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 519

SITREP 27 ASAT 040400Z . ALL OPS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME
R TURNOR

OFFICE TEL NO
GS 21609

RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE

SECRET

*Richard Allen
Major*

MESSAGE FORM

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FEB 66

PRECEDENCE - ACTION

PRECEDENCE - INFO

DATE - TIME GROUP

ROUTINE

DEFERRED

05 0528 Z

FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

TO : ARMYPRESS CANBERRA

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

UNCLAS

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER

PR 524



FOR DPR FROM PR OFFR . MONTHLY SUMMARY FOR JANUARY . MAJOR NEWS ITEMS COVERED THIS MONTH WERE 4 RAR EXERCISE JUNGLE BEAT AND THE VISIT OF THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF GLOUCESTER . OTHER ITEMS INCLUDED THE VISIT BY TWO RSL REPRESENTATIVES TO CHANGI GAOL CMM OFFICERS RETURNING HOME AND THE IMMINENT 4 RAR BIRTHDAY . POLICY COMMENT . THE STRAITS TIMES NOTED THAT THE PLANNED BRITISH CUT IN DEFENCE SPENDING COULD MEAN A BIGGER DIVISION OF COMMITMENT IN SOUTH-EAST ASIAN DEFENCE BETWEEN AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND - AND POSSIBLY THE US . THE SAME NEWSPAPER THE SAME DAY DEVOTED ITS ENTIRE FEATURE PAGE TO A FEATURE ON AUSTRALIA'S FUTURE DEFENCE POLICY BY A CANBERRA-BASED CORRESPONDENT OF THE LONDON TIMES . THE POINTS MADE IN THE FEATURE INCLUDED:

THE DANGER IS THAT THAT THE ARMY CMM EXPANDED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF ITS ALLIES CMM WILL SWALLOW UP THE MONEY WHICH SHOULD BE SPENT ON ITS NAVY AND AIR FORCE .

IN THREE YEARS - THE AUSTRALIAN FORCES WILL STILL BE UNABLE TO TRANSPORT AND SUSTAIN BY AIR ONE WHOLE DIVISION OR TO MOUNT AN AMPHIBIOUS OPERATION OF THE SAME SIZE.

ADVERSE PUBLICITY: NIL .

PIC OUTPUT: 1240 WHOLEPLATES .

FUTURE PLANNING: FEATURE ON TRACKER AND GUARD DOGS TRAINING AT THE JUNGLE WARFARE SCHOOL (REQUESTED BY AHQ) FIREPOWER DEMO BY 28TH.

COMMONWEALTH BRIGADE CMM CLEARANCE STILL AWAITED FOR PERMISSION .

WRITE FEATURE ON FEDERATION MILITARY COLLEGE . GENERAL: WO2 HV

DUNKLEY WAS RTA AND REPLACED BY SGT BE L'ESTRANGE . SGT P KELLY IS DUE TO TAKE UP HIS POSTING IN SINGAPORE DURING FEBRUARY AND HIS ARRIVAL AUSTARM PR TO INCREASE THE SCOPE OF ITS ACTIVITIES

DRAFTER'S NAME

OFFICE TEL NO:

RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE

RE FILMER

PRO 2474

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MESSAGE FORM

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PRECEDENCE - ACTION PRIORITY	PRECEDENCE - INFO DEFERRED	DATE - TIME - GROUP 05 Z
FROM	AUSTARM SINGAPORE	SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
TO	ARMY CANBERRA	<u>SECRET</u>
		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
		<u>OPS 523</u>

WEEKLY REPORT WEEK ENDING 5 FEB 66 .

FIRST. 4 RAR . NO CHANGE .

SECOND. A FD BTY RAA . REGT PRACTICE ASAHAN RANGE 4 FEB .

THIRD. 111 LAA BTY . NO CHANGE .

FOURTH. 21 CONST GP RAE . NO CHANGE .

FIFTH. 2 FD TP RAE . NO CHANGE .

SIXTH. 2 SAS .

ALFA. NIL .

BRAVO. ACCLIMATIZATION CMM RECAPITULATION AND
FAMILIARISATION WITH FOLLOWING UK SAS EQPT .

ONE. RADIO SET 128 .

TWO . SAS MED KITS .

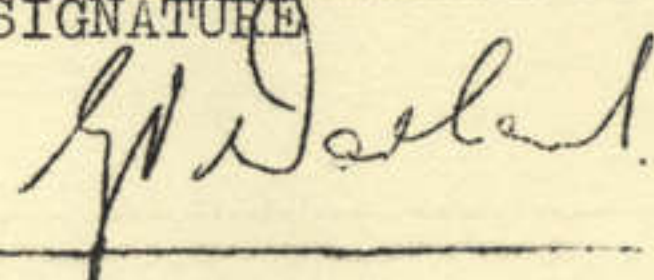
THREE. EXPLOSIVE PACKS .

FOUR. M18A1 A PERS MINE .

FIVE. ARMALITE RIFLE .

CHARLIE. NIL .

DELTA. ACCOMMODATION . PLANNING IN DETAIL NOW IN
PROGRESS FOR OCCUPATION OF NEW ACCOMMODATION
COMPLEX . PRIORITY GIVEN TO ESTAB OPS AND
SIG CENTRES AND Q STORE

DRAFTER'S NAME	OFFICE	TELE No.	RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
WARLAND	G	21609	

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MESSAGE FORM

PRECEDENCE ACTION	PRECEDENCE INFO	DATE TIME	GROUP
ROUTINE	DEFERRED	05	Z

FROM: AUSTARM SINGAPORE

TO: ARMY CANBERRA

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

INFO: AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

ORIGINATORS NUMBER
OPS 529

SITREP 28 AS AT 050400 Z . ALL AREAS NTR

DRAFTERS NAME	OFFICE	TEL NO	RELEASING OFFICERS SIGNATURE
WARLAND	OPS	21609	 CAPT

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MESSAGE FORM

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PRECEDENCE-ACTION
ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE-INFO
DEFERRED

DATE
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TIME

GROUP
Z

FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

TO : ARMY CANBERRA

INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS

562

SITREP 29 AS AT 070900 Z .

ALL AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME
R TURNOR

OFFICE
GS

TEL NO
21609

RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE

David M. L. ...

Maj
Feb 66

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MESSAGE FORM

E 8

PRECEDENCE-ACTION
ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE-INFO
DEFERRED

DATE
08

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS

580

SITREP NO 30 AS AT 080900 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA .

ALPHA . CEN BDE . SMALL ENEMY PARTY FIRED ON A PL POSN
OF 1/6 GR FROM A RANGE OF 150 YDS AT
071700 HRS . NO KNOWN CAS TO EITHER
SIDE .

BRAVO . EAST BDE . 2 RENJER PTL FIRED AT 4 ENEMY ACROSS
A STREAM . ONE ENEMY WOUNDED BUT GOT
AWAY . NO FOLLOW UP DUE TO WIDTH OF
STREAM AND PROXIMITY OF BORDER .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR .

DRAFTER'S NAME
R TURNOR

OFFICE
GS

TEL NO
21609

RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE

[Signature] Maj
Feb 66

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MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 8/9 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 8 FEB 66

Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 8 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Gnr	MEPHAN	ML 521	1920	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Mrs L'ESTRANGE AND FAM		QF 733	1725	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	Join Husband	ORCHARD	
L Cpl	HOOPER	QF 733	1725	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	Posting	BLOCK 10B	
Pte	MACKENZIE	QF 729	1525	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	Posting	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 8 FEB 66								
a. Air - NIL								
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 9 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Capt	KEANE	ML 453	1530	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	RTA	3 SQN RCT MESS	
Pte	O'NEILL	ML 015	1740	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	RTA	AIRLINES	
2. DEPARTURES 9 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Gnr	MEPHAN	QF 730	0930	PERTH	WO COUCHMAN	RTA	AIRLINES	
Sgt GOSSLAND AND FAM		QF 732	2015	PERTH	WO COUCHMAN	RTA	YORK HOTEL	
Pte	O'NEILL	QF 752	2100	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	RTA	AIRLINES	
Sig	McKENZIE	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	WO COUCHMAN	Posting	AIRLINES	

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET
ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 603

SITREP 31 AS AT 090400 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA . CENTRAL BDE . REF SITREP 30 OF 080900Z

INVESTIGATION SHOWED THAT EN PARTY WHICH WAS POSSIBLY

LITTER OR RECCE PTL WITHDREW ACROSS BORDER AFTER ACTION .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR .

DRAFTER'S NAME
J R FITZPATRICK

OFFICE
GS

TEL NO
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David Willis Maj
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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

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TO : ARMY CANBERRA

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 629

INFO : AUSTDET KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDET SINGAPORE

SITREP NO 32 AS AT 100800 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA . MIDWEST BDE . POLICE ARRESTED 3 COMMUNISTS
SAYA MEMBERS IN THE DURIN AND SIABAU AREAS .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR .

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SARGEANT	GS	2672	<i>David D. D. D.</i> Maj Feb 66

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
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TO : ARMY CANBERRA

INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS

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SITREP NO 33 AS AT 110900 Z .

ALL AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME
SARGEANT

OFFICE
GS

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FROM: AUSTARM SINGAPORE

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TO: ARMY CANBERRA

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INFO:

ORIGINATORS NUMBER

OPS

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WEEKLY REPORT WEEK ENDING 12 FEB 66 .

FIRST . 4 RAR . CEASED OP LURGAN AND BDE DUTIES 7 FEB 66 .

SECOND . 1 FD BTY RAA . BTY STAND DOWN 5-10 FEB 66 .

THIRD . 111 LAA BTY RAA . NO CHANGE .

FORUTH . 21 CONST SQN RAE . NO CHANGE .

FIFTH . 2 FD TP RAE . SWIMMING POOL . 60% OF NEW CONCRETE
FLOOR COMPLETED .

CEMENT STORE . ALL BAYS AND ROOFING
COMPLETE . WALL NOT COMPLETE DUE TO STORES
DIFFICULTIES . RAOC STORES EXTENSION .
COMPLETE . REMAINDER OF TROOP EMPLOYED
ON CAMP MAINTENANCE .

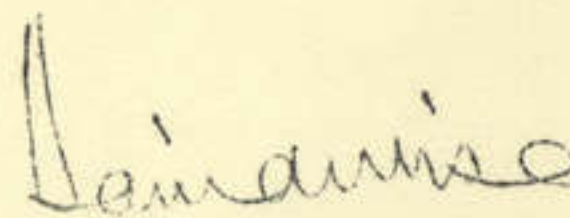
SIXTH . 2 SAS .

ALFA . ONE TROOP DEPLOYED AREA RECCE ROLE .

BRAVO . REMAINING TROOPS CONTINUE ACCLIMATIZATION
AND FAMILIARIZATION INCLUDING ABSEILING
USING SAS/GF TECHNIQUES NEW TO UNIT

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FROM: AUSTARM SINGAPORE

TO: ARMY CANBERRA

INFO: AUST DET KUALA LUMPUR
AUST DET SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

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ORIGINATORS NUMBER
OPS 671

SITREP NO 34 AS AT 120900 Z .

ALL AREAS NTR

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PRECEDENCE-ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE-INFO ROUTINE	DATE 14	TIME	GROUP Z
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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

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ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 697

SITREP NO 35 AS AT 140900 Z .

ALL AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME
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OFFICE
GS

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Capt
Feb 66

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MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 15/16 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 15 FEB 66

Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remark
1. ARRIVALS 15 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Cfn	MURAS	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	CPL WILCOMES	RTA	AIRLINES	
Pte	GOSS AND FAM	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	CPL WILCOMES	RTA	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 15 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Lt	SMITH	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	CPL WILCOMES	DETACHMENT	MINDEN VILLAGE	
Maj	McGHEE	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	CPL WILCOMES	OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Maj	COLE	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	CPL WILCOMES	OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Lt	UNDERWOOD	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	CPL WILCOMES	OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Pte	BATEMAN	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	CPL WILCOMES	POSTING	AIRLINES	
Sig	TASSELL	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	CPL WILCOMES	POSTING	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 16 FEB 66								
a. Air - NIL								
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 16 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Lt	STEINER AND FAM	JAL712	0930	HONG KONG	SGT MITCHELL	POSTING	COCKPIT	
Spr	ROCHE AND FAM	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	SGT MITCHELL	POSTING	ORCHARD	
Cfn	MURAS	QF 730	0930	PERTH	SGT MITCHELL	RTA	AIRLINES	
Pte	GOSS AND FAM	QF 730	0930	SYDNEY	SGT MITCHELL	RTA	AIRLINES	
Sig	BARTLETT	QF 730	0930	SYDNEY	SGT MITCHELL	RTA	121 SIG SQN	
b. Sea - NIL								

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PRECEDENCE-INFO
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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

TO : ARMY CANBERRA

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 725

INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SITREP NO 36 AS AT 150900 Z .
ALL AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME
FITZPATRICK

OFFICE
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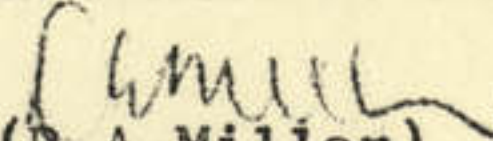
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MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 16/17 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 16 FEB 66

Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 16 FEB 66								
a. Air								
	NIL							
b. Sea								
	NIL							
2. DEPARTURES 16 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Lt	STEINER AND FAM	JAL712	0930	HONG KONG	SGT MITCHELL	POSTING	COCKPIT	
Spr	ROCHE AND FAM	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	SGT MITCHELL	POSTING	ORCHARD	
Cfn	MURAS	QF 730	0930	PERTH	SGT MITCHELL	RTA	AIRLINES	
Pte	GOSS AND FAM	QF 730	0930	SYDNEY	SGT MITCHELL	RTA	AIRLINES	
Sig	BARTLETT	QF 730	0930	SYDNEY	SGT MITCHELL	RTA	121 SIG SQN	
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 17 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Capt	HAWKINS	ML 453	1530	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	EX DETACHMENT	GILLMAN OFFRS MESS	
2. DEPARTURES 17 FEB 66								
a. Air								
	NIL							
b. Sea - NIL								


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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

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TO : ARMY CANBERRA

INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPOREORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 739

SITREP NO 37 AS AT 160400 Z

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA . WEST BDE .

ALPHA . TRACKS FOR APPROXIMATELY 80 MEN FOUND NE OF
TEBEDU HEADING WEST ARE BEING INVESTIGATED .WHEN FOUND TRACKS WERE ESTIMATED AT LESS THAN ONE
DAY OLD .BRAVO . FIVE MEN CMM BELIEVED TO BE IBT AND CARRYING RIFLES
CMM WERE REPORTED TO HAVE RECROSSED INTO KALIMANTAN
IN 1 DLI AREA .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR

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WARLANDOFFICE
GSTEL NO
21609RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 791

SITREP 38 AS AT 170800 Z .

FIRST . WEST MALAYSIA .

ALPHA . COMD BASE X-RAY PLANNING OP AGAINST WEST MALAYSIA
VIA SELAT PANJANG BASE VICTOR . GP OF 9 BRAHMA 1,
OR 5 INTENDED FOR THE OP AT SELAT PANJANG . STILL
THERE 6 FEB . GP TRAINED PENINSULAR MALAY SPEECH . GP
TO BE TPT AND GUIDED BY BOYANESE KIPAM AGENT .

BRAVO . COMMENT . MAY BE INDICATION BASE XRAY INTENDS OPS
AGAINST WEST JOHORE . CURRENT INT INDICATES OPS FROM
SELAT PANJANG ARE TO BE PLANNED AND CON BY COMD 15
INF BDE . POSSIBLE MALAY LANGUAGE FACTOR HAS LED TO
DECISION TPS OTHER THAN THOSE UNDER CON 15 INF BDE
TO BE USED FOR ANY INITIAL OPS .

SECOND . EAST MALAYSIA . WEST BDE . AT 161215 H PL FROM 1/10 GR HAD
CONTACT AT GR 94040226 . ONE SF WOUNDED . IMMEDIATE FOLLOW
UP RESULTED IN FURTHER CONTACT BY 1/10 PL AT 161330 H AT
GR 9392 0228 HERE ONE EN KILLED . INTENSIVE SF FOLLOW UP
RESULTED IN THIRD CONTACT BY 1/10 GR AT 161730 H AT GR
94300206 . NO DETAILS YET KNOWN . EN BELIEVED TO CONSIST
OF MIXED PARTY 24 CHINESE AND 8 TNI . A DYAK WHO SAW THIS
PARTY SE OF TEBEDU GR 939013 TWO DAYS AGO FAILED TO DISCLOSE
THIS INFO UNTIL TODAY

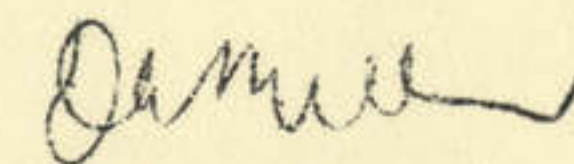
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MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 18/19 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 18 FEB 66

Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 18 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Pte	BRUCE	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	SGT ARCHER	RTA	AIRLINES	
Brig	EVANS	QF 739	2000	SINGAPORE	DUTY OFFR AND SGT ARCHER	EX LEAVE	RESIDENCE	
b. Sea - NIL								
DEPARTURES 18 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Pte	BRUCE	QF 736	2015	SYDNEY	SGT ARCHER	RTA	AIRLINES	
Col	PEARSON	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	SGT ARCHER	STAFF VISIT	GOODWOOD	
Maj	KIRKLAND	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	SGT ARCHER	STAFF VISIT	RESIDENCE	
Pte	ABNETT	QF 736	2015	SYDNEY	SGT ARCHER	RTA	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 19 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Col	PEARSON	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	EX VISIT	GOODWOOD	
Maj	KIRKLAND	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	EX VISIT	RESIDENCE	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 19 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Col	PEARSON	QF 738	2115	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	EX TRIPARTITE CONF	GOODWOOD	
Col	COOPER	QF 738	2115	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	EX TRIPARTITE CONF	GOODWOOD	
Maj	BIRSCH	QF 738	2115	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	EX TRIPARTITE CONF	COCKPIT	
Capt	McDOWELL	QF 738	2115	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	EX TRIPARTITE CONF	COCKPIT	
b. Sea - NIL								


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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

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ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS

819

SITREP 39 AS AT 180400 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA .

ALPHA . MIDWEST BDE . 6 MOR RDS AT 161900H AT GR 103010
6 MLS SE OF TENGGANG .

BRAVO . WEST BDE . CONNECT OUR SITREP 38 OF 170800Z .

ONE . THIRD CONTACT PL OF 1/10 GR AT 161730H AT
GR 942019 ENCOUNTERED EN TEMP POSN ON HIGH
GROUND . COY 1/10 GR HAD ONE KILLED AND
FIVE WOUNDED (THREE MINOR ONLY) . EN USE
FIRE ANTI PER MINES AND BOOBY TRAPS CMM
APPEARED WELL TRAINED WITH EST STR 40 TO
50 . FOLLOW UP OPS BY SEVEN COYS UNDER COM
OF 2/7 GR (TWO COYS 1 A AND SH THREE COYS 2/7
GR AND TWO COYS 1/10 GR) .

TWO . PRESS RELEASE MADE FROM FIRST AND SECOND
CONTACT ONLY . REFERRED TO IN SITREP 38 .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR

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No unclassified reply or reference

MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 19/20/21 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 19 FEB 66

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Rank	Name	Flt No.	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn
1. <u>ARRIVALS</u> 19 Feb 66							
a. Air							
Col	PEARSON	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	Ex Visit	Goodwood
Maj	KIRKLAND	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	Ex Visit	Residence
b. Sea - Nil							
2. <u>DEPARTURES</u> 19 Feb 66							
a. Air							
Col	PEARSON	QF 738	2115	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	Ex Conference	Goodwood
Col	COOPER	QF 738	2115	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	Ex Conference	Goodwood
Maj	BIRSCH	QF 738	2115	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	Ex Conference	Cockpit
Capt	MCDOWELL	QF 738	2115	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	Ex Conference	Cockpit
b. Sea - Nil							
1. <u>ARRIVALS</u> 20 Feb 66							
a. Air							
WO	BURRAKET	ML 023	1740	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	Interview	Sgt Mess
Sig	NICHOLSON	QF 743	2000	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	Posting	121 Sigs
b. Sea - Nil							
2. <u>DEPARTURES</u> 20 Feb 66							
a. Air							
Capt	GILL	TG 402	0820	BANGKOK	WO COUCHMAN	Visit	Residence
Maj	CONDER	QF 740	2200	SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	Ex Conference	Cockpit
Sig	PRINTZ	PA 842	0855	SAIGON	WO COUCHMAN	Ex MCE	Nee Soon
b. Sea - Nil							
1. <u>ARRIVALS</u> 21 Feb 66							
a. Air							
Nil							
DEPARTURES: Maj SMITHURST							
		ML 006	0700	KUALA LUMPUR	WO COUCHMAN	Hospital Visit	(D.A. Miller)
							Maj for AA&QMG.

D.A. Miller

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
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ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 837

SITREP 40 AS AT 190330 Z .
FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA .

ALPHA . WEST BDE .

CONNECT OUR SITREP 39 OF 180400 Z . THIRD
CONTACT RESULTED IN PTL 1/10 GR ENCOUNTERING
EN ON HIGH GROUND . EN USE OF AP MINE REPORTED .
SF CAS 1 KILLED 5W 1A . TWO ENEMY BODIES
RECOVERED . OBVIOUS FROM BLOODSTAINS AND
EQPT LEFT BEHIND IN EN WITHDRAWAL THEY SUFFERED
FURTHER CASUALTIES . JAVELIN AIRCRAFT USED
ON LOW FLYING SORTIES TO FORCE EN TO HIDE
AND DELAY CMM THEN ALLOWING OUR TPS TO CATCH
UP . 200 RDS SA RECOVERED ALSO AMMO FOR 40
RL CMM YUGOSLAV AP MINE CMM GRENADES AND
PRIMERS . ONE OF THE TWO ENEMY BODIES APPEARS
JAVANESE . FOLLOW UP OPERATION CONTINUING .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTRA . Paraphrase NOT required
NO unclassified reply or reference

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

TO : ARMY CANBERRA

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
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OPS 832STAFF MESSAGE CONTROL
19 FEB 1966
NO FARELFWEEKLY REPORT WEEK ENDING 19 FEB 66
FIRST . 4 RAR . ALPHA . NIL .BRAVO . EXERCISE THUNDERBOLT . A FIRE POWER
DEMONSTRATION 13 - 14 FEB 66 .

SECOND . A FD BTY RAA . EXERCISE THUNDERBOLT 13 - 14 FEB .

THIRD . 111 LAA BTY RAA .

ALPHA . NO CHANGE .

BRAVO . SUBJECT C FOR SGT IN PROGRESS .

FOURTH . 2 FD TP RAE . NO CHANGE .

FIFTH . 21 CONST SQN RAE . NO CHANGE .

SIXTH . 2 SAS SQN . NO CHANGE

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GSTEL NO
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19 Feb 66

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PRECEDENCE-ACTION	PRECEDENCE-INFO	DATE	TIME	GROUP
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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CNABERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
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ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 862

SITREP 41 AS AT 210900 Z .
FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA .

ALPHA . WEST BDE .

CONNECT OUR SITREP 40 OF 190330 Z . REF THIRD
CONTACT . ONE FURTHER EN KILLED . IDENTIFIED AS
CHINESE AND INDICATION OF OTHERS WOUNDED . WIRELESS
SET AND OTHER KIT AND EQPT RECOVERED . OP CONTINUES .
SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR .

DRAFTER'S NAME
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ROUTINE

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
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ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 883

SITREP 42 AS AT 220900 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA . WEST BDE . CONNECT OUR SITREP 41 OF 220330Z .
ALPHA . NO FURTHER CONTACTS REPORTED . OPERATION CONTINUES .
BRAVO . SPORADIC MORTAR FIRE BORDER AREAS REPORTED . NO CAS .
SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR

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Capt
22 Feb 65

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MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 23/24 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 23 FEB 66

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Rank	Name	Flt No.	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accommodation
1. <u>ARRIVALS</u> 23 Feb 66							
a. Air							
Sgt	PAXTON & Fam	AI 107A	1855	SINGAPORE	Sgt ARCHER	Posting	Orchard
Sig	ROLLESTON & Fam	ML 613	1700	SINGAPORE	Sgt ARCHER	RTA	Airlines
Mrs	DOUST & Child	MI 005	1145	SINGAPORE	Sgt ARCHER & Miss SPENCE	Hospital Visit	Cockpit
b. Sea - Nil							
2. <u>DEPARTURES</u> 23 Feb 66							
a. Air							
Sig	ROLLESTON & Fam	QF 732	1915	SYDNEY	Sgt ARCHER	RTA	Airlines
Maj	FALVEY	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	Sgt ARCHER	Ex Visit	Cockpit
Capt	BURZACOTT	ML 006	0700	MALACCA	Sgt ARCHER	Ex Visit	Cockpit
b. Sea - Nil							
1. <u>ARRIVALS</u> 24 Feb 66							
a. Air							
Maj	McGHEE	PA 841	1250	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	Ex Observer Visit Saigon	Airlines
Maj	COLE	PA 841	1250	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	Ex Observer Visit Saigon	Airlines
Lt	UNDERWOOD	PA 841	1250	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	Ex Observer Visit Saigon	Airlines
Lt	CADDEN	ML 453	1530	SINGAPORE	Cpl EALES	RTA	
b. Sea - Nil							
2. <u>DEPARTURES</u> 24 Feb 66							
a. Air							
Maj	McGHEE	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	Cpl EALES	Ex Observer Visit Saigon	Airlines
Maj	COLE	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	Cpl EALES	Ex Observer Visit Saigon	Airlines
Lt	UNDERWOOD	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	Cpl EALES	Ex Observer Visit Saigon	Airlines
Mrs	DOUST & Child	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	Cpl EALES & Miss SPENCE	Hospital Visit	Cockpit
b. Sea - Nil							

(D.A. Miller)
Maj for
AA&QMG.

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

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SITREP 43 AS AT 230400 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA .

ALPHA . WEST BDE .

CONNECT OUR SITREP 42 OF 220900 Z .

ONE . TWO SUSPECTS DETAINED BY 2/7 GR AREA 10
MILES NORTH OF TEBEDU . TRACKS FOR 2 MEN
FOUND IN SAME AREA .

TWO . ONE ARMED INDONESIAN WITH MALAYSIAN CURRENCY
ASKED CIVILIAN FOR FOOD IN AREA JUST EAST OF
TEBEDU CMM STATING THAT HE AND OTHERS HAD NOT
EATEN FOR FIVE DAYS .

BRAVO . MID WEST BDE .

ONE . SPORADIC MOR FIRE IN BORDER AREA SE OF
PANTU BAZAAR (GR 027016) .

TWO . LIGHTS SEEN AND 10 RDS SA FIRED BORDER AREA
DUE SOUTH OF BATU LINTANG GR 071005 .
SIGN AND TRACKS ALSO FOUND IN SAME AREA .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR .

DRAFTER'S NAME
WARLANDOFFICE
GSTEL NO
21609RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
Capt
23 Feb 66

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

TO : ARMY CANBERRA

INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 725

SITREP 44 AS AT 240900 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA . CONNECT OUR SITREP 43 OF 230400 Z . NO
FURTHER CONTACTS . OPERATION CONTINUING .

SECOND.. ALL OTHER AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME
WARLAND

OFFICE
GS

TEL NO
21609

RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
Capt
24 Feb 66

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MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 24/25 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 24 FEB 66

Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 24 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Maj	McGHEE	PA 841	1250	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	EX OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Maj	COLE	PA 841	1250	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	EX OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Lt	UNDERWOOD	PA 841	1250	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	EX OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Maj	RICHARDSON	PA 841	1250	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	VISIT	NEE SOON	
Lt Col	THOMPSON	ML 015	1740	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
Capt	HEARNE	ML 015	1740	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
Capt,	MORRISON	ML 015	1740	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
Lt	CADDEN	ML 453	1530	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	RTA		
2. DEPARTURES 24 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Maj	McGHEE	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	CPL EALES	EX OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Maj	COLE	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	CPL EALES	EX OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Lt	UNDERWOOD	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	CPL EALES	EX OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Mrs	DOUST AND CHILD	ML 052	1515	MALACCA	CPL EALES	HOSPITAL VISIT	COCKPIT	
					and MISS SPENCE			
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 25 FEB 66								
a. Air								
WOI	BUSS	ML 033	1935	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	EX VISIT	RESIDENCE	
Capt	GILL	RAF		SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	EX VISIT	RESIDENCE	
2. DEPARTURES 25 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Capt	SANDERSON			SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	EX VISIT	COCKPIT	
Sgt	PAXTON AND FAM	ML 614	0830	HONG KONG	WO COUCHMAN	POSTING	ORCHARD	
Maj	MILLER	RAF	0815	KUCHING	WO COUCHMAN	VISIT	RESIDENCE	
Lt Col	THOMPSON	RAF	0815	KUCHING	WO COUCHMAN	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
Capt	HEARNE	RAF	0815	KUCHING	WO COUCHMAN	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
Capt	MORRISON	RAF	0815	KUCHING	WO COUCHMAN	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
b. Sea - NIL								

(D.A. Miller)

Maj
for AA&QMG

MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 25/26 FEB AS AT 0900 HRS 25 FEB 66

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Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 25 FEB 66								
a. Air								
WOI	BUSS	ML 033	1935	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	EX VISIT	RESIDENCE	
Capt	GILL	RAF		SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	EX VISIT	RESIDENCE	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 25 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Capt	SANDERSON			SYDNEY	WO COUCHMAN	EX VISIT	COCKPIT	
Sgt	PAXTON AND FAM	ML 614	0830	HONG KONG	WO COUCHMAN	POSTING	ORCHARD	
Lt Col	THOMPSON	RAF	0815	KUCHING	WO COUCHMAN	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
Capt	HEARNE	RAF	0815	KUCHING	WO COUCHMAN	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
Capt	MORRISON	RAF	0815	KUCHING	WO COUCHMAN	4 RAR RECCE PTY	ADELPHI	
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 26 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Lt Col	CHARLSWORTH	PA 841	1250	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	VISIT	GOODWOOD	
Lt Col	WHITELAW	ML 521	1920	SINGAPORE	CPL EALES	EX VISIT	RESIDENCE	
b. Sea - NIL								
2. DEPARTURES 26 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Cpl	BARNES	ML 006	0700	PENANG	CPL EALES	EX VISIT	BLOCK 10B	
Cpl	McINTYRE	RAF	0715	KUCHING	CPL EALES	EX CASH OFFICE DUTIES	BLOCK 10B	
Cpl	RILEY	RAF	0715	LABUAN	CPL EALES	EX CASH OFFICE DUTIES	BLOCK 10B	
Cpl	ASKEW	RAF	0715	LABUAN	CPL EALES	EX CASH OFFICE DUTIES	BLOCK 10B	
Maj	CONDER	ML 454	1015	JESSELTON	CPL EALES	121 SIG SQN VISIT	RESIDENCE	
Maj	MILLER	ML 042	2000	KUCHING	CPL EALES	VISIT	RESIDENCE	
b. Sea - NIL								

B.A. Hawkins
(B.A. Hawkins)
Capt
for AA&QMG

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PRECEDENCE-ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE-INFO ROUTINE	DATE 25	TIME	GROUP Z
FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET		
TO : ARMY CANBERRA		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 956		
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR AUSTDEF SINGAPORE				

SITREP 45 AS AT 250900 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA . WEST BDE . SEC 2/7 GR SIGHTED AND FIRED
AT THREE ENEMY IN TEBEDU AREA AT GR 93780124 . IMMEDIATE
FOLLOW UP FOUND TRACKS BUT NO FURTHER SIGHTING . ENEMY
CAS NOT KNOWN . OWN CAS NIL . OPERATION CONTINUING .
SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR

DRAFTER'S NAME WARLAND	OFFICE GS	TEL NO 21609	RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE Capt 25. Feb 66
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MESSAGE FORM

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FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

TO : ARMY CANBERRA

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 969

WEEKLY REPORT WEEK ENDING 26 FEB 66 .

FIRST . 4 RAR .

ALPHA . ONE . OP LURGAN COMMITMENT . ONE COY ON 4 HRS NOTICE T
TO MOVE CMM ONE COY ON 6 HRS NOTICE . ONE COY
RESPONSIBLE FOR PROTECTION OF TERENDAK GARRISON .

TWO . COMMANDING OFFICER CMM SIGNALS OFFICER AND
INTELLIGENCE OFFICER LEFT ON RECCE TOUR BORNEO
PERIOD 25 - 28 FEB .

BRAVO . BN PREPARING FOR LEAVE PRIOR MOV BORNEO CMM LEAVE
PERIOD 25 FEB - 14 MAR .

SECOND . A FD BTY RAA .

ALPHA . PROVIDED BDE STANDBY TP 21 - 24 FEB .

BRAVO . BTY DVRS CMM SIGS AND GUN NOS COURSES COMMENCED
21 FEB .

THIRD . 111 LAA BTY RAA .

ALPHA . 10 PER CENT DEPLOYMENT AT RAAF BUTTERWORTH CONTINUES .

BRAVO . SUBJECT A FOR SGT AND WO IN PROGRESS .

FOURTH . 21 CONST GP RAE .

DETAILED SURVEY IS NOW COMPLETED TO MILE 56 WHILE HAND
CLEARING TO MILE 54 POINT 7 AND DOZER CLEARING TO MILE 54 .

FIFTH . 2 FD TP RAE . NO CHANGE .
2 SAS .

SIXTH . ATTACHMENT TO OTHER UNITS FOR OP EXPERIENCE COMPLETED .
E TP COMPLETED AMBUSH TASK NOW RETRAINING FOR NEXT TASK .
G TP NOW AMBUSHING . H TP LESS ONE PTL NOW DEPLOYED AREA
RECCE . DATE OF ASSUMPTION OF OPERATIONAL COMMAND BEING
CLARIFIED

DRAFTER'S NAME
WARLANDOFFICE
GSTEL NO
21609RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
1/26 Feb 66

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ROUTINE	ROUTINE	26		Z

FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE
TO : ARMY CANBERRA
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR
AUSTDEF SINGAPORE

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
SECRET

ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER
OPS 970.

SITREP 46 AS AT 260330 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA .

ALPHA . WEST BDE . FRESH TRACKS FOR APPROX 30 REPORTED IN
AREA GR 89550536 . FOLLOW UP IN PROGRESS .

BRAVO . MIDWEST BDE . 11 ROUNDS MORTAR FIRE HEARD EXPLODING
IN AREA MARAKAI PANJAI GR 086010 .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR .

DRAFTER'S NAME	OFFICE	TEL NO	RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
WARLAND	GS	21609	 Capt 26 Feb 66

MOVEMENTS SUMMARY SHEET FOR THE PERIOD 28 FEB/1 MAR AS AT 0900 HRS 28 FEB 66

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Rank	Name	Flt No	Flt time	Destination	Reception Offrs or Duty Movts NCO	Reason for Movement	Accn	Remarks
1. ARRIVALS 28 FEB 66								
a. Air								
Mrs	BROWN	QF 733	1725	SINGAPORE	SGT MITCHELL	JOIN HUSBAND	AIRLINES	
Lt Col	THOMPSON	RAF	1430	SINGAPORE	SGT MITCHELL	EX 4 RAR RECCE PTY	COCKPIT	
Capt	MORRISON	RAF	1430	SINGAPORE	SGT MITCHELL	EX 4 RAR RECCE PTY	COCKPIT	
Capt	HEARNE	RAF	1430	SINGAPORE	SGT MITCHELL	EX 4 RAR RECCE PTY	COCKPIT	
WO I	BRENNAN	ML 015	1740	SINGAPORE	SGT MITCHELL	QM COURSE	AIRLINES	
Capt	DAWSON	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	SGT MITCHELL	CESERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Pte	BLANCHARD	ML 005	1145	SINGAPORE	SGT MITCHELL	RTA - ON DISCHARGE	AIRLINES	
Col	EWING	UT1563	2130	SINGAPORE	SGT MITCHELL	DLS VISIT	AIRLINES	
2. DEPARTURES 28 FEB 66								
a. Air								
WO I	BRENNAN	QF 742	2000	SYDNEY	SGT MITCHELL	QM COURSE	AIRLINES	
Pte	BLANCHARD	QF 742	2000	SYDNEY	SGT MITCHELL	RTA DISCHARGE	AIRLINES	
Spr	VALLENDER	QF 742	2000	SYDNEY	SGT MITCHELL	RTA MEDICAL REASONS	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								
1. ARRIVALS 1 MAR 66								
a. Air								
Mr	PACKER	ML 451	1530	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	VISIT (AUST COMMISSION)	AIRLINES	
Maj	CONDER	ML 451	1530	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	121 SIG VISIT	RESIDENCE	
Maj	MILLER	ML 451	1530	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	EX 4 RAR RECCE PARTY	RESIDENCE	
L Cpl	OWEN AND FAM	QF 733	1735	SINGAPORE	WO COUCHMAN	POSTING	AIRLINES	
2. DEPARTURES 1 MAR 66								
a. Air								
Capt	DAWSON	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	WO COUCHMAN	OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	AIRLINES	
Capt	HEARNE	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	WO COUCHMAN	OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	COCKPIT	
Lt Col	THOMPSON	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	WO COUCHMAN	OBSERVER VISIT SAIGON	COCKPIT	
Col	EWING	PA 842	0815	SAIGON	WO COUCHMAN	DLS VISIT	AIRLINES	
b. Sea - NIL								

B.A. Hawkins

(B.A. Hawkins)
Capt
for AA&QMG

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PRECEDENCE-ACTION ROUTINE	PRECEDENCE-INFO ROUTINE	DATE 28	TIME	GROUP Z
FROM : AUSTARM SINGAPORE		SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SECRET		
TO : ARMY CANBERRA		ORIGINATOR'S NUMBER OPS 1006		
INFO : AUSTDEF KUALA LUMPUR AUSTDEF SINGAPORE				

SITREP 47 AS AT 280900 Z .

FIRST . EAST MALAYSIA . WEST BDE . TEBEDU OPS .

ONE . 1 DLI HAD CONTACT WITH EN AT 261030 H APPROX AT
GR 95229985 . EN BELIEVED TO BE RECCE PARTY CMM
WITHDREW DOWN INDON SIDE OF BORDER RIDGE . EN CAS
BELIEVED TO BE SIX KILLED . OWN CAS 1 KILLED AND
4 WOUNDED OF WHICH 2 ARE SLIGHT .

TWO . POLICE ARRESTED 4 MALE CHINESE IN 24 MILE GR 947040
AREA ON AFTERNOON 26 FEB . ALL SUSPECTED TO BE IBT .

THREE . ONE CHINESE MALE PREVIOUSLY ARRESTED ADMITS BEING
IBT . 4 RIFLES CMM 500 ROUNDS OF .303 CMM UNIFORMS
CMM CASH AND DOCUMENTS SUBSEQUENTLY RECOVERED .

FOUR . PL PFF SURPRISED PARTY OF 5 EN AT GR 94880384 AT
270930 H ONE PRISONER TAKEN CMM REMAINDER FLED .
SUBSEQUENTLY AT 271215 H PFF PL COUNTERED 4 EN AT
GR 94850384 AND KILLED ONE EN . REMAINDER FLED CMM
NATIONALITY OF PRISONER IS CHINESE AND EN DEAD INDON .
AMMO CMM WEAPONS CMM EXPLOSIVES AND DOCUS RECOVERED .

SECOND . ALL OTHER AREAS NTR .

DRAFTER'S NAME	OFFICE	TEL NO	RELEASING OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
WARLAND	GS	21609	<i>Davidson</i> Capt Feb 66

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

FORCE ROUTINE ORDERS

PART I

BY

LIEUTENANT COLONEL T.R. GIBSON

ADMINISTERING COMMAND

AUSTRALIAN ARMY FORCE FARELF

SINGAPORE

Serial 3

16 Feb 66

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RO 11/66 1966 3 RAR KAPYONG SCHOLARSHIP

- ... 1. Attached as Annex 'A' are the details of the Scholarship and the application forms.
2. Units should publicise the Scholarship and issue the application forms to personnel who are interested in applying. Please note that applications are required at 3 RAR by 31 Mar 66.
3. Additional copies of the Scholarship details and application forms are available from 3 RAR.

RO 12/66 Amenities

1. Civil organisations are currently providing reading material for distribution to troops. Enquiries are being received as to what other amenities of a personal nature, such as books, would be welcomed.
2. Comments and suggestions by units are requested.

RO 13/66 Notification of Occurrences for Promulgation in Routine Orders Part 2

1. To avoid any possibility of non-promulgation of occurrences which may now, or in the future have bearing on eligibility for War Service/Repatriation Benefits, units are from now on to submit personal occurrence reports in all cases of:
- a. Hospitalisation - Covering admissions to discharges from and transfers between all types of medical installations, civil and military.
 - b. Emplanements/
Embarkations Etc - Covering emplanements/deplanements, embarkations/disembarkations of individuals moving between Singapore/ West Malaysia and East Malaysia and between Singapore/Malaysia and other countries in FARELF.

RO 14/66 Decimal Currency

Reference: ARO 82/65.

1. As from Mon 14 Feb 66 (C-Day) the Australian Army changed over to decimal currency accounting and recording. References to money are now to be shown in dollars and cents.
2. The appropriate table for the conversion of £.s.d. amounts expressed in whole pence to decimal currency amounts expressed in whole cents is the Banking and Accounting Table. This table is shown at Annex 'A'.
3. The Exact Equivalents Table is shown at Annex 'B'. This table should be used where it is necessary to obtain exact equivalents in decimal currency of amounts expressed in £.s.d. For

example, where rates or unit prices are expressed in £.s.d. in agreements between contracting parties, this table may be used to convert them to their exact equivalents in decimal currency.

RO 15/66 Free Travel for Serving Sons of Members Serving Overseas

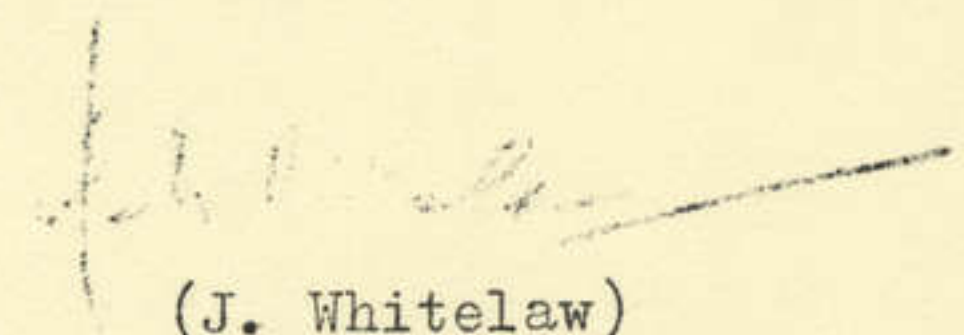
1. AHQ have advised that serving sons of members posted overseas will not be granted free travel to visit parents, whilst the parents are overseas.

RO 16/66 Australian Army Force FARELF - Contract Board

1. The following are appointed to the Australian Army Force FARELF Contract Board:

Chairman	-	AA & QMG	HQ AAF FARELF
Member	-	DAQMG	HQ AAF FARELF
Finance Representative	-	DAS	HQ AAF FARELF

2. The Board will meet as directed by the Chairman.


(J. Whitelaw)
Lieutenant Colonel
AA and QMG

AMENDMENT

Ink Amendment

HQ AAF RO Part 1 50/65 Charge and Offence Reports

The above RO is amended by inserting after sub-paragraph 3d.

- e. Formation headquarters, e.g. HQ 28 Comwel Inf Bde.

NOTICE

HQ AAF Open Squash Championship for 1966

1. The AAF Open Squash Championship for 1966 was held in Singapore, 4 - 6 Feb.
2. Winner of First Division and AAF Champion was Capt R. Beesley of HQ 28 Comwel Bde.
3. Runner up was Capt Vadiveloo of HQ AAF.
4. Winner of Second Division was Major J. Young of Q Mov, HQ FARELF.
5. Runner up was Cpl Sutherland of HQ AAF.
6. Trophies were presented by the MGGS - Major Gen Lascelles, CBE, DSO.

KAPYONG SCHOLARSHIP

General

1. The Kapyong Scholarship was introduced on Kapyong Day 1963, when 3 RAR was based at Enoggera, Brisbane.

Aim of the Scholarship

2. The Scholarship is to assist the Secondary or Tertiary education of children of serving members of 3 RAR and for ex-3 RAR members who saw service with 3 RAR overseas in Korea/Malaysia.

Details of the Scholarship are:

3.
 - a. Amount. \$A100.
 - b. Period of Award. Annually.
 - c. Number Awarded Each Year. Usually one. This may be varied by 3 RAR Regimental Funds Committee.
 - d. How Scholarship may be Used. The Scholarship may be used to offset such general education expenses as:-
 - (1) Tuition Fees.
 - (2) Cost of Test Books.
 - (3) Cost of School/College etc uniforms.
 - (4) Cost of fares to and from school.
 - e. Determining Authority for Award. 3 RAR Regimental Funds Committee (hereafter called The Committee) are the determining authority for the Award or the Scholarship. They may seek the advice of others to assist them in their determination e.g. the Unit Education Officer, a member of the AAEC, the Chaplain etc.
 - f. Factors Considered When Determining the Award. The Committee will consider, inter alia, the following factors when determining the Award:-
 - (1) The scholastic potential of the child. This will be in the form of a report, preferably from the child's Headmaster.
 - (2) The financial position of the parents.
 - (3) The Military record of service of the father e.g. all other things being equal, the father who has or had the longer length of service may receive extra weighting.
 - (4) Whether the child's father is living or deceased. The Committee may give extra weighting to the child whose father is deceased.
 - g. Payment of Scholarship. The Committee may pay the \$A100 in two ways:

- (1) To the parent as a reimbursement upon production of receipts, or
- (2) To the School/College etc in payment of accounts produced by the parent.

h. Undertaking to be Completed by Parent or Next-of-kin.

The parent or next-of-kin of a child who receives a Scholarship will complete a Statutory Declaration undertaking that they will ensure that the:

- (1) Child is given every assistance by the parent/NOK to complete that Scholastic Year successfully.
- (2) Child is not absent from classes or examinations without good reason.
- (3) Committee is informed of any absence for more than a month from classes.
- (4) Committee is reimbursed, as decided by the Committee, for any breach of these conditions.

j. Timings for Applications. The applications for the Kapyong Scholarship should reach 3 RAR by 31 Mar 66.

k. Application Forms. Application forms are attached.

Annex 'A' to
Force Routine Order 11/66
dated 16 Feb 66.

APPLICATION FOR 3 RAR - KAPYONG SCHOLARSHIP

1. Name of Student
2. Date of Birth of Student
3. Name and Date of Last School Examination
4. Results of Last Examination (Certificate of Headmaster to be attached or School Report if issued).
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5. School Where Last Examinations Held
6. Next of Kin of Student
Regt No.....Rank.....Name.....
7. Present Address of Student's NOK
8. When and Where Served with 3 RAR
9. Date Signature of Student's NOK
10. CARO check (if necessary)
11. Comments
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12. Received by 3 RAR Regt Funds Committee
Date
- Capt
Adj 3 RAR
- Lt Col
CO 3 RAR

Adjt 3 RAR Capt

Lt Col
CO 3 RAR

13. Determination

Date President 3 RAR Regt Funds Committee
Major

14. File

Notes on Scholarship - see under

3 RAR KAPYONG SCHOLARSHIP

The 3 RAR Kapyong Scholarship, valued at \$A100 is awarded annually to assist children of serving or past members of 3 RAR who saw service in Korea/Malaysia.

The Scholarship is paid as a bursary to offset general education expenses and may include tuition fees and the cost of text books, clothing and transport.

Application for this year's Scholarship should reach 3 RAR by 31 Mar 66. One copy only of the application is required.

Annex 'A' to
Force Routine Order 14/66
dated 16 Feb 66.

BANKING AND ACCOUNTING TABLE
CONVERSION OF AMOUNTS OF £ s d TO
DOLLARS AND WHOLE CENTS

Pence	Cents	Shillings	Cents	£	s	d	\$
1	1	1	10	10.	0.		1.00
2	2	2	20	11.	0.		1.10
3	2	3	30	12.	0.		1.20
4	3	4	40	13.	0.		1.30
5	4	5	50	14.	0.		1.40
6	5	6	60	15.	0.		1.50
7	6	7	70	16.	0.		1.60
8	7	8	80	17.	0.		1.70
9	8	9	90	18.	0.		1.80
10	8	10	100	19.	0.		1.90
11	9			1.	0.	0.	2.00
12	10						

Annex 'B' to
Force Routine Order 14/66
dated 16 Feb 66.

EXACT EQUIVALENTS TABLE

Pence	Cents	Shillings	Cents	£	s	d	\$
1	5/6 or .83333	1	10		10.	0	1.00
2	1 2/3 or 1.66667	2	20		11.	0	1.10
3	2½ or 2.5	3	30		12.	0	1.20
4	3 1/3 or 3.33333	4	40		13.	0	1.30
5	4 1/6 or 4.16667	5	50		14.	0	1.40
6	5 5	6	60		15.	0	1.50
7	5 5/6 or 5.83333	7	70		16.	0	1.60
8	6 2/3 or 6.66667	8	80		17.	0	1.70
9	7½ or 7.5	9	90		18.	0	1.80
10	8 1/3 or 8.33333	10	100		19.	0	1.90
11	9 1/6 or 9.16667			1.	0.	0	2.00
12	10 10						